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LB 240, 777, 790

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SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 240 advances. LB 790.

CLERK: LB 790 offered by Senator Hartnett. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 19, referred to Urban Affairs, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Korshoj, would you handle the bill, please.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: Yes, Mr. Speaker, and members, all this bill is is a technical change to a bill we passed last year, LB 625. It just spells out exactly how a mayor can vote if his vote is decisive or if it's needed to pass a bill, actually, or to pass what is on the agenda. And it's...the League discovered we needed this technical change to clarify when and how he could vote. And that's all we ask is the advancement of this bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion? Any questions? If not, shall LB 790 be advanced? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 790.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 790 advances. LB 777.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 777 was a bill introduced by the General Affairs Committee and signed by its members. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 19, referred to General Affairs, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members of the body, this is a bill that was heard in General Affairs and was passed out unanimously. Under current law, liquor distributors can ship liquor that is damaged or otherwise spoiled back from their retailer in order to destroy or replace that liquor. If the distributor just ships liquor out of the state, however, such as into Iowa, the distributor can't bring it back in to destroy it at this point in time and they are being forced to warehouse it